

MITCHELL R. BIFFERS  
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NO. 25-931 MT

Count 1: 8 U.S.C. §1325(a)(1):  
Illegal Entry Without Inspection

Count 2: 50 U.S.C. § 797:  
Penalty for Violation of Security  
Regulations

On or about April 26, 2025, in Doña Ana County in the District of New Mexico, the defendant, **SAMUEL VALDEZ-PRIETO**, willfully violated the order issued on April 18, 2025, by the U.S. Army Garrison Fort Huachuca military commander designating the New Mexico National Defense Areas, also known as the Roosevelt Reservation, as both a restricted area and a

controlled area under Army Regulation 190-13, prohibiting the unauthorized entry into the New Mexico National Defense Areas, a defense property security regulation.

In violation of 50 U.S.C. § 797.

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